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Dear Mr. Braxton:

Subject: Operation Plan R647-004-106.2 Acid Base Potential -  
Sunrise Dump

In reference to the Division's correspondence dated January 24, 1992, General Comments Section, please find attached a report prepared by Rick Sims of the Winters Company, Tucson Arizona, showing that the neutralization potential of the rock mined from the Sacramento Pit and placed on the Sunrise Dump greatly exceeds the acid forming potential for all areas of the dump.

Additionally attached for your records are the lab data sheets from Chemtech Laboratory for 233 samples analyzed.

Please contact me at extension 335 should you have any questions concerning the enclosed report.

Respectfully,

David P. Beatty  
Environmental/Occupational Health Coordinator

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Attachments — INSERTED INTO MAIN VOLUME OF NOI AS AN APPENDIX

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